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## MARVELOUS EVENTS FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON

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Place on sale this week an elegant line of New, Fresh and Seasonable Goods bought at the Great New York Auction Sales especially for our Big Holiday Trade that we are expecting and we are bound to have.

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W. P. WALTON.

A Boston small dog whose lines had in deed fallen in pleasant places has just died. He was delicate, delicate in his meals with his name embroidered in the centre. He was put to sleep in a crib, with costly furs for his bed and a coverlet of the finest wool wrapped him about. Crar his sleeping prison was drawn a counterpane of figured silk. When he took an airing it was always from the seat of a carriage, and the coachman has driven him out alone, when by chance no members of the family were ready to accompany him. It is said that since his death his former home has been in mourning. Visiting friends of the family have been given to understand that the family would prefer that all calls should be limited for the present. Any allusion to the dog in the presence of his mistress occasions a flood of tears, and the attending physician has rigidly prohibited any mention of the name or fate of the pet. A suitable memorial will soon be erected to his memory.

—J. D. Sellers, formerly a free will Baptist preacher, has for the past year been engaged as a teacher in one of the white public schools of Clarendon county, S. C. Friday afternoon he induced one of his small pupils to meet him in the woods back of the school house when he attempted to ravish her, but was frustrated in his brutal design by the arrival of some other pupils. The neighbors on hearing it gathered in large numbers and taking the usual to a tree they tied him to it after stripping every article of clothing from him and cow hided him till he was barely alive.

A laboring man of Minersville, Pa., has patented a new brake, which he thinks is much better than the Westinghouse brake. He says that it can stop a freight car running at the rate of 35 miles an hour, in fifteen feet, lock the wheels dead in six or eight seconds, and stop a locomotive running at the rate of 40 miles an hour before it has moved 25 feet. He has been offered \$75,000 for his invention.

John Jacob Astor is rated at \$150,000,000, and is probably the richest man in America, the great bulk of his property consisting of real estate. He married a Miss Gibbs, of Charleston, S. C., and William Weldorf Astor, the ex Minister to Italy, is his only son. The old gentleman is a liberal liver and somewhat giddy. —[N. Y. World]

A woman is bound to have the last word when the editor of the *Evening Remonstrator* with the principal contributor to the poet's corner of his valuable sheet, for writing on both sides of her paper, she quietly retorted: "Well, and don't you print on both sides of yours?"

The photograph of Ramesses II, the excavated Egyptian monarch, who was remarkable a few thousand years ago for his opposition to the Jews, proves conclusively that he never was as handsome a man as Judge Hilton.

The coming Hutton will be the antipode of the Vanishing Lady. Out of a small egg which grows gradually larger by the eye of the spectators, will be produced a living girl.

#### CRAB ORCHARD, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—John Turnbull shipped Monday from here a car load of nice, fat hogs to Louisville.

—We not only sell family groceries, but harness, saddles and bridles. Hitchings & Chadwick.

—We have the nicest line of boots and shoes in town. Shoes from 5 cents to \$3.50. Give us a call. Hitchings & Chadwick.

—Born to the wife of Harrison Thursday on Wednesday, Dec. 15th, a bouncing boy, and at the last report the little fellow was doing well.

—Monday night Collier's magician show appeared at the College hall and amused a considerable audience with his merry making and legerdemain performance.

—Come to the Christmas tree at the Christian church to night (Friday) last Saturday night, as was said last week) and bring your wiver, your children and your sweethearts.

—Married, here, on the 20th, at the home of the bride's father, Mr. Robert Davis (of Rowland) and Miss Lucy Hickson. Mr. Davis is a brakeman on the L. & N. and his bride is said to be uncommonly handsome.

—Mr. John Bailey has moved his family from Main and is now comfortably quartered in A. M. Egbert's cottage on Stanford street, formerly occupied by J. Will James. Mr. James Hutchinson will re-occupy the rooms Mr. Bailey vacated.

—At a meeting of the members of the Baptist church, Rev. C. C. Green was discontinued in his pastorate for the coming year. Bro. Green has been a most ardent and zealous worker in the cause of christianity here, especially a Sunday school worker, and we all regret to see him depart elsewhere. Rev. John James will perhaps be called in his stead.

—John Minks, a laboring man living near here, was severely hurt by an explosion of gun powder last week. He was carrying a shovel of fire to the kitchen and passing under the door, above which there happened to be a bottle of powder. The bottle at that instant fell, striking the shovel, breaking and causing the explosion.

—W. M. O'Bryan, wife and son have returned home. Miss Florence Edmunds left Sunday for Louisville, where she will spend the holidays with friends. Mrs. Edwards went to Louisville Friday last. That's H. Carson is Christmas at home. Miss Lyn James is back from a pleasant visit to Danville. H. Turner was in town for the first time in a long while Sunday.

—Quite a brilliant affair was witnessed by the citizens of our town on Dec. 16th. This was the marriage of Mr. James L. Yantis, of Garrard, to Miss Mollie King, of this place, which was solemnized at the Baptist church by the Rev. G. W. Yencer, of Garrard. The friends of the bride had beautifully decorated the church for the occasion. Above the arch under which the happy couple stood, was a white dove, the sacred bird of Venus and the mystic symbol of love; in its mouth was an olive leaf, presaging a peaceful union. The bride was handsomely attired in blue cloth and velvet, with hair trimmed to match. The attendants were Mr. O. T. Layton and Miss Judith King; Mr. C. O. Robinson and Miss Nellie Yantis. Miss Annie Holmes executed the wedding march, while Messrs. J. W. Brooks and H. B. Farrie seated the beholders, who filled the church to its utmost capacity, thereby testifying with what love and esteem Miss King was held by those who have known her for so long. After the ceremony the bride and groom, attended by their suite, started for the groom's

home in lower Garrard. Mr. Yantis has indeed secured a jewel. Our best wishes go with them to their new home and thro' all the years of their lives.

#### LONGING IN VAIN.

Longing for peace and repose and bliss,  
Longing for life I'll never more kiss,  
Longing for love, for only this,  
Longing in vain.

Longing for that I'll never more claim;  
Longing to whisper her dear sweet name,  
Longing, ah me, it is over the same,  
Longing in vain.

Longing to smoothe from her brow so fair,  
The impress of toil, sorrow and care,  
To call back the smiles she used to wear,  
Longing in vain.

Longing to hear her footsteps so dear,  
That silent have been for many a year;  
Ah! their sound was music to mine ear,  
Longing in vain.

Longing to stand once more by her chair,  
To lay my hands once more on her hair,  
Longing it will only be, I can never stand there,  
Longing in vain.

Longing in vain for the form 'neath the soil,  
For the dear, sweet face now hid by the cloud,  
For the angel one softly resting with God,  
Longing in vain.

Longing to rain, ah! longing in vain,  
Why do I repeat it again and again?  
For my heart is almost crushed with pain,  
Longing in vain.

March 23, 1886. ELLA F. DOORNS.

A justice of the peace delivered the following charge to the jury in the trial of his first case: "Gentlemen of the jury, charging a jury is a new business to me, as this is my first case. You have heard all of the evidence as well as myself, and you have also heard what the counsel for the plaintiff has told you. If you believe it your verdict will be for plaintiff; but if on the other hand you believe what the counsel for the defense has told you, your verdict will be for the defendant; but if you are like myself, and don't believe what either of them has told you, then I will be — if I know what you will do. Constable, take charge of the jury."

The following notice in a Montana newspaper is not calculated to soothe the feelings of the thief who stole Mr. Sampson's bay mare. "The night of the 14th inst. a dark bay mare, 15 hands high, small white star in forehead, both hind feet white, was stolen from the stable of Mr. Sampson, the undersigned. I will give the mare and \$50 in cash for full and reliable particulars regarding the funeral of the thief. That's the kind of a man I am."

Barnard's comet, now visible in the northern sky, promises to be a tolerably conspicuous object in the evenings at the end of the month. The fact of its having three tails, two of which are only visible through a telescope, implies that the comet is in process of rapid disintegration and it is quite possible that, like the mysterious visitor discovered by Biela, it may never appear again in cometary form.

The notorious Mrs. Crawford, who played so prominent a part in the Dilke scandal, is going in the stage as a comedienne. It can not be denied that, according to some modern ideas of dramatic art, she is fully equipped to take a leading position in the profession. —[N. Y. Graphic]

A Canada bee keeper claims to have discovered that the bee sting is used by the worker to cap the cells and inject the formic acid which preserves the honey. He says it is for want of this acid that the uncapped honey will not keep when taken from the hive.

Green's Electric Oil cures all sores and pains. For sale by McRoberts & Stagg at 50c.  
Green's Golden Balm, sure cure for Catarrh at 50c, at McRoberts & Stagg's.

#### OTTENHEIM, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—Eld. John Todd preached his farewell sermon Sunday at Mt. Olive church. Eld. Jasper Livingston will probably be called for the coming year. —Niel Turnbull will be home from Mexico Wednesday. He has been conductor on a passenger train for nearly two years in that country. Clara Turnbull will give a supper for her many friends Christmas night. Of course Robt. Chappell will be there if Henry Fulmer has no objections. A. H. Baslin has been on the sick list for the last few days. It is agreed by the boys that Miss Clara Turnbull shall be called the Belle of Ottenheim. Miss Lullie Harris is visiting Mrs. J. T. Slavin. —Miss Belle Anderson is visiting her brother at Crab Orchard. —Two or three weddings are expected to occur about Christmas in this locality. For further particulars ask Wm. Adams and Edgar Graham. —A few days ago David Hatcher killed a large wildcat near Garley Adams'.

Rev. Dr. Talmage said in a late interview: "The summary of the whole thing is that this is a grand old world, and I want to stay in it as long as I can. I would not want to go out of it at all if I did not believe that there was a grander one. This is a good enough one for me for a long time yet." —[N. Y. Mail]

Mrs. Theodore Tilton is described as a lonely and heart-broken woman as she sits and weeps from day to day, buried in the seclusion of a Protestant convent at Newark. Of her two daughters, one is living a student's life in Switzerland, and the other has found a home among friends in Chicago. —[New York Graphic]

Eleven old ladies held a tea party at Arcade, N. Y., the youngest being 71 years of age, the average 73 years and 2 months, and the combined ages 805; three were over 80 years; all had been married and nine were widows. —[Buffalo Express]

#### FIVE COMMANDS!

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Bourne has these and the finest lot of candles ever brought to Stanford.  
Thou shalt keep in mind that Bourne is the cleverest man (except Dr. Cox) and the best man to deal with.

"Honey, eat, violet blue."  
Bourne's is the place for you. —[Shakespeare. In fact, the half of his glories and fine goods have not been told thee.]

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#### HOLSTEIN FRIESIAN BULL

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This fine Bull will stand the season now commencing at my stable on the Lancaster Pike, one half mile from Stanford Court House, a \$4.50 the season, with the privilege of breeding the cow until the cow proves in calf. Money due when cow is first served.  
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I offer for sale privately in Stanford, Ky., a very desirable residence with seven rooms and porch. Well of water at the door; stable, smoke house, &c. About an acre of ground in the lot. For terms, &c., apply to B. G. ALFORD, 165-166-167, apply to B. G. ALFORD, Agent for J. R. Alford.

#### Town Lot For Sale!

As representative of Mr. W. H. Anderson, I offer for sale privately his neat brick house and lot of two acres on Somerset Avenue in Stanford. The place has all the necessary improvements and is a very desirable one. Call on or address me at Stanford in regard to it.

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It is our pleasure for the twelfth time to send our readers and patrons merry Christmas greetings. The joyous season is again upon us and the young are looking as fondly to it to-day and their anticipations are as bright and as happy as we remember ours were some thirty years ago. It is a season of holiday and festival that never grows old, and even among those who have grown to look upon the day as another swift passing mile-post on the short journey of life, it is not without its delights, if not of present realization, of bright memories awakened of the time when they too were young and life and all its possibilities before them. They enjoy the season only in memory and in seeing those they love pass the same happy moments, which were once so delightfully theirs. If age, infirmities and cares of life have taken away even this enjoyment, God pity them, but we hope and believe their number is few in the world. Even those can, however, experience the benefits of the scriptural promise, which says it is more blessed to give than to receive, and add to the happiness of some poor heart by giving some token of remembrance and appreciation to it. Let us all do what we can to contribute to the happiness of those with whom we come in contact, and in our enjoyment of the good things that God has given us, let us not forget the poor who are always with us. These are pretty hard times on them and we who have an abundance will feel all the better by giving them of our store. Let us remember too that we are celebrating the grandest and most glorious event that has ever or can ever be vouchsafed to man, the birth of the Savior of the world, and act as becomes such occasions. Certainly it is not the time for drunken revelry, if there is ever a time for it, and the man who thinks he needs must get drunk because it is Christmas, deserves to have it said of him that he has descended from the monkey. Extending the compliments of the season to all who shall read these lines, we commend the words spoken on the birth that we now celebrate: Joy on earth, peace and good will to men.

The New York Times says that Mr. Edmunds believes it would tend to corruption to give back to the president the right of removal. It tends very much more to corruption to have the removal depend on the joint action of the President and a majority of the Senate. The great safeguard against corruption is responsibility. Responsibility to one is much more definite, stringent and effective than responsibility to more than one, who must agree before anything can be done. Responsibility toward the President on the one hand and two-score of Senators on the other amounts to very little.

In reviewing the late decision of the Court of Appeals in the Cornellison case, the Cincinnati Commercial has a scathing article on the infamous act in which it inclines to Mrs. Reed's theory of murder instead of suicide, owing to the circumstances in the room and the fact that Cornellison was seen coming from that office, where was Judge Reid with no other soul near, which indicates that Cornellison finding that his intended assassination of Judge Reid's life or prospects had failed, went there and completed his work.

A HANDFUL of republicans, who think they can catch the prohibitionists with any kind of bait, met in secret convulse at Lexington Friday and adopted some high-sounding resolutions, framed to catch the unwary, but if they are as wise as serpents and as harmless as doves, they won't be caught by such chaff. That High Priest of Prohibition, Judge Fontaine T. Fox, Jr., saw into their little game and let the cat out of the bag, so that the wayfaring man, even though he be a fool, need not be treppied with soft solder.

Down in Hopkins county, where prohibition has been voted, the citizens who favor its enforcement have organized a court of inquiry, whose duty it is to see that the law is faithfully executed. They have already succeeded in having one fellow fined to the amount of \$1,000 and intend that prohibition shall be made to prohibit all over the county. Such a committee ought to be formed here.

CORNELLISON has been disbarred by Judge Cooper from practicing in his court, because he caught him in a square lie in his effort to wear him off the bench. But this won't hurt the bloody fiend much, that is if he is forced to undergo the three years' punishment he has so richly earned and which the Court of Appeals says he must.

With his usual conservatism and clear-headedness, Grand Master Powderly has advised the Knights of Labor to have nothing to do with the condemned or any other encephalists and to steer clear of any political alliance.

THERE were only a little over 600 voters in Letcher at the last election, a big majority of them republicans, yet 50 of them have been indicted for selling their votes. The Circuit Court just closed found 190 indictments in all.

THERE were only 27 deaths in the Kentucky penitentiary during the year out of 1,024 convicts. This is a lower rate than

Dr. Woods' proposed celebration is thus mentioned by the Owensboro Messenger: "The Frankfort Capital suggests that we get up a grand celebration for the 6,000th anniversary of Adam in 1896. If the good doctor will pardon us we think that no one of us will be able to be there and raise Cain, the suggestion is not worth Adam. Still if the Doc gets up his celebration we would like to Noah 'bout it in time."

THE President is in earnest in his effort to help the deserving colored men who have always been democrats and has sent in for the second time the nomination of James C. Matthews, to be Recorder of Deeds for the District of Columbia. Matthews is a colored man from Albany, N. Y., and was appointed to succeed Fred Douglass, the nomination being rejected by the Senate.

THE Richmond Herald puts a quietus on the silly report started by the Danville Tribune that Senator Harris voted for Abraham Lincoln in 1861 by publishing the documentary evidence in the shape of the County Clerk's certificate that there is no grounds whatever for the charge.

It is said that the youngest member of Congress is a Hogg. There are a number of hogs in the body and this one might have his appellation changed to Pig to better distinguish him.

## NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—It is reported that Matt Groce, brother of Marshal Groce, has drawn \$30,000 in a lottery.

—The Fort Worth & New Orleans railroad has been sold to C. P. Huntington for \$546,000.

—A bill to appropriate \$2,000,000 with which to build a government prison is before the House.

—Thirty houses were destroyed by fire in Galveston, Texas, all residences, and valued at \$100,000.

—The Louisville Southern Exposition and the Louisville Fair Association have gone into bankruptcy.

—The house has passed a bill to appropriate \$50,000 for the erection of a public building at Owensboro.

—A Chicago fool attempted to eat 30 qualls in as many days, but broke down on the 28th and is now very ill.

—Isham King, who murdered a railroad conductor on the Cincinnati Southern, was given a life sentence at Williamsburg.

—It was not Editor Thomas D. Mercur's brother but a distant relative who was sent to the penitentiary for murder.

—At Nebraska City the board of education proclaimed a holiday so that the public school children could attend a murder trial.

—Miss Todd has been re-appointed postmaster at Cynthiana and Mary McAtee has been confirmed to the same office at Bardonia.

—During the year the Jewish population of the U. S. was increased by 27,338 emigrants.

—The Elytown Land Company, of Birmingham, has declared dividends of 135 per cent. of its capital during 1886, amounting to \$680,000.

—Gov. Alger, of Michigan, sends as a personal Christmas gift to each of the several charitable institutions of the State his check for \$100 to \$200.

—The entire town of Vilona, Faulkner county, Ark., was burned Monday night, every business house being simultaneously set on fire. The total loss is about \$150,000.

—Ex-Aldermen McQuade, of New York, recently found guilty of accepting a bribe in the Broadway Surface railroad matter, was sentenced to 7 years imprisonment and to pay a fine of \$5,000.

—Col. George W. Northrup, a well-known citizen of Louisville, and a prominent member of the Knights Templar, has gone hopelessly insane and has been placed in the asylum at Anchorage.

—The republican Senatorial entries in New York are Warner Miller, Levi P. Morton and Frank Hiscock, the chances being in the order named, though Morton is pressing Miller, the present Senator, closely.

—The prisoners in the jail at Lexington, led by Tuck Agee, sentenced to be hanged March 5th, made an unsuccessful attempt to escape. They had prepared to scale the walls by means of blankets tied together.

—Under the Dow law the 12,000 liquor saloons in Ohio will pay into the public treasury an annual tax of more than \$2,000,000. For 40 years there has been "free trade" in that thriving branch of Ohio business.

—Paul Grottkau, editor of a Socialist organ, at Milwaukee, was sentenced to 30 days imprisonment at hard labor for the publication of a poem reflecting on the integrity of the court in the recent trial of the riot cases.

—William Russell, the murderer of Daniel Christman, who was arrested near Greensfield, Ind., and taken to Eaton, O., was forcibly taken from jail by a mob and hanged at one of the principal business corners of the town.

—Congressman Reed, the defaulting North Carolina Congressman, is said to have gone to Canada, with no intention of returning to the United States. His constituents, it is said, will petition the House to declare his seat vacant.

—W. S. Queen & Co., of Richmond and Mt. Sterling, assigned to J. R. Burnum for the benefit of their creditors. The liabilities are not yet known. The stock at Richmond is estimated at \$5,000 and the one at Mt. Sterling at \$7,000.

—The jury in the Collin Campbell case returned a verdict finding that neither Lord nor Lady Collin was guilty of the offenses with which they were charged. This is the case in which so much nastiness was

—Col. Breckinridge has recommended Miss Mattie Todd for postmaster at Cynthiana. Miss Todd has held the office for 8 years. She is a first cousin of Mrs. Breckinridge. After Mr. Willis' experience the Colonel ought to fight shy of recommending widows with republican proclivities.

—A new counterfeit silver dollar is out, and is so perfect in weight and ring as to deceive experts. Its only defect is the letter "d" in the motto "In God We Trust," which is so slanted as to appear almost like an italic letter. The false coin is an Illinois production.

—The authorities at Richmond, Va., have been informed by the dying wife of Richard Shinnick, who kept a saloon in that city, but sold out and went West several months ago, that she saw her husband murder and rob a man about a year ago and secrete his body under the floor. It is thought that the man murdered was an officer from Staunton.

—Senator Vance in regard to the tariff says: "Revenue reform means with me not simply relief to the treasury by avoiding a surplus, but a relief to the people by reducing taxes on the necessities of life. In other words a tax reduction in the interest of the manufacturer is a friend. The tax reduction which I want is that which looks to the interests of the Government and the people alone."

—The Labor Contract Bill, passed by the Senate of South Carolina, and intended to prevent the organization of Knights of Labor assemblies among farm hands, has been reported adversely by the House Judiciary Committee, which postpones the matter until the next session. The discussion of the measure has created much excitement among the colored people, who are never happier than when becoming members of some "society."

—John Skeen, an old man who lived near Campbellsville, wound up a spree by attacking his wife with a stick of stove wood and beating her over the head and face until it is supposed he thought he had killed her. He then got a shot-gun and placed it to the side of his head and fired, blowing the side and top of his head off. With his brains scattered about the room the man lived for an hour after the shot was fired. Skeen was about 60 years old and was a worthless character. He had no children.

—John Shearer, merchant and postmaster at Rad House, Madison county, who, it is alleged, has been criminally intimate with the wife of Taylor Rice, was shot and killed by the two sons of the latter Sunday night. Rice had recently left his wife on account of her intimacy with Shearer. He entered the house and by mistake got into the room of Alex. and Taylor Rice, who were aroused by the noise. Shearer opened fire on them with a revolver, firing four shots, none of which struck either of them. The boys returned fire, one with a pistol and the other with a double-barreled gun loaded with buckshot. All of their shots took effect in Shearer's body, and he fell dead before the fire in the family room, which he entered trying to escape from the volley of lead being fired at him. The boys delivered themselves up and were acquitted on their examining trial.

## DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

—Several fine oil paintings by Miss Webb, an art teacher, are on exhibition at Curry's drug store.

—The Rentrow Musical Comedy Company exhibited to a good house Tuesday night. It was over an average entertainment.

—Mr. Graham, of Sumpter, S. C., is in town buying that class of stock known as "Southern horses." He shipped a car-load to his home to day.

—A freight train jumped the track near the residence of Col. J. T. Fackler, south of town, at 6 o'clock this morning; no one hurt and but little damage done.

—James Hegin, son of John Haggins, who lives near Perryville, and who had been ill with diphtheria for several weeks, died yesterday. He was about 20 years old.

—There will be a Christmas tree for Sunday school children at Trinity church, a cantata at the Christian church and similar entertainments at the other churches, all on Christmas eve.

—Judge R. J. Breckinridge made a brief visit to St. Louis this week, but is now back attending to that legislative matter in a way that counts. Hon. John D. White, the ex-mountain Congressman, is in town.

—Miss Mary Duke, daughter of Col. Wm. Duke, of this place, who was injured by an accident on the Missouri Pacific railroad something over a year ago, has obtained judgment of \$5,000 at Independence, Mo., where the case was recently tried.

—Mrs. H. G. Sandifer and her little daughter, Katie, have returned from Indianapolis, where the latter has been under medical treatment. They will go back after the holidays. Mr. B. F. Phillips went to Newport to-day to spend Christmas with friends.

—Mr. J. M. Walton, a college student who took the Bophmore prize last year, a fine gold watch, went to the show Tuesday night and left his watch lying on the table and the door of his room open. Two of his college mates coming in soon after concluded to take the watch and keep it a while for a joke and the result was that Mr. Walton was much afraid his watch had been stolen until Wednesday evening when the boys gave it back.

—Mr. Oscar L. Gregory, traveling salesman for Price, Lucas & Co., Louisville, and Miss Alice Dunn, daughter of I. M. Dunn, of this county, were married Wednesday night at 8 o'clock, Rev. O. A. Bartholomew, of the Christian church, officiating.

county, they will go to Mason, Ga., where they will make their home until spring. Mr. Gregory's business being in the South. Mr. Sam Westerfield and Miss Essie Bowser, and Mr. David Leonard and Miss Anna Clond obtained marriage licenses on the 20th. The latter couple were married by Judge Lee in the clerk's office. Mr. Ben W. Durham, of Junction City, and Miss Sie Irvine Hays, daughter of Mr. Samuel Hays, were married Wednesday evening by Rev. R. H. Caldwell at the residence of the bride's father. Mr. James H. Swope and Miss Mary Jessie King, daughter of the late Rev. S. H. King, obtained marriage license here on Wednesday and were married on Thursday by Rev. O. A. Bartholomew, at the home of the bride's mother, in Lincoln county. Mr. Swope and bride will spend a few days in Lexington, the guest of his brother, Col. A. M. Swope, after which they will return to their home in Lincoln county. Mr. Hugh Cosner and Miss Sarah Batey were married Thursday at the home of the bride's father, P. M. Batey, Rev. O. A. Bartholomew also officiating at this marriage.

## HUSTONVILLE, LINCOLN COUNTY.

—There is no note of preparation here for special celebration of the 25th, except in the usual display of toys and trinkets.

—Mr. S. Gann, one of our new citizens, a man probably over 60 years of age, was thrown from a wagon by a frightened team and falling backward, sustained serious injury. A collar-bone was broken and several severe contusions received, while it is feared that the shock to his system may result disastrously.

—The INTERIOR JOURNAL never grows old. At each return of the great annual festival it renews its youth and plumes again its tireless wing, soaring anew for immortality. Generations may pass away; dynasties may change; stars may be obliterated from the heavens, and earthquakes rock the solid globe, but confident in its integrity and imperturbable in its purpose, the sonnet sheet still utters its voice of cheer, its maxims of morality, its warnings of wisdom, its rebukes against iniquity. Long may its banners float upon the breeze; its untarnished shield be foremost in the fray, and its burnished lance be seen battling boldly for the right!

—I have been recalling recently some of the memories of pedagogical life during a somewhat protracted experience. As the wiles and the tricks, the conspiracies and complete of the average school boy loom up from the mists of the past, I feel that the conscientious teacher merits the sympathy and support of every right-minded citizen, while the successful teacher should wear at least a civic crown in honor of his tact and skill and indomitable patience. It is a little remarkable, too, that there has been but little change during 50 years in the material of which our schools are composed. Changes have been effected in almost everything else. Old systems in politics, art, science, customs, usages, have become old and been improved or superseded, but the school boy is still the same. His one idea, which seems to have been transmitted with his blood from the remotest generation, is that the teacher is his enemy and is to be circumvented and thwarted—his authority ignored and his efficacy destroyed by every embryo lover of human liberty. It was my purpose in alluding to this subject to record some reminiscences of school experience, but do not know where to begin. This much, however, can be said: I can point with pride to a long list known of yore and fondly remembered as former pupils, and tested since as life-long friends.

—The fire-flies opened in force early in the week; and as there is no municipal law nor parental restraint to interfere with their orgies, there is a fair prospect that they may get up a grand illumination by incinerating our little old wooden town, which is as inflammable as a cargo of cotton. Can't our zealous reformers spare an hour to devote to a riddance of this most pestiferous nuisance? Can they not attach, by way of engrossed rider to some of their philanthropic legislation a provision for the suppression of pyrotechnics, conducted by irresponsible and reckless parties, in our door yards. By the way, does any lingering relic of a former generation remember the ancient mode of celebrating Christmas in Kentucky? The first grand act of preparation for the holiday week, was the aggregation of a tremendous wood-pile—we didn't burn coal much then—at each homestead. Of course hogs had been killed, corn housed, turkeys fattened, nits gathered, apples stored and cider—pretty well hardened. Every house in the neighborhood had made provision for the entertainment of fortuitous guests. At 9 o'clock P. M. saturnalia generally commenced by a salvo of artillery delivered in close proximity to the windows of the room in which the family were assembled. Instantly the doors were thrown wide open and a hearty invitation to enter accorded. Little time was spent in ceremony. Refreshments were handed round with cordial hospitality. Timid youths and blushing beauty exchanged the signals of rustic love making; and then the young men of the house, each provided with his trusty blintz-lock, joined the hand and proceeded to re-enact the scene at the nearest favored domicile. These visitations were looked for with peculiar interest. To be omitted from the program of the roystering visitants was a sentence of ostracism from "good society," and the most marked insult that could be offered to any rural homestead. The raid generally continued until after midnight, gaining recruits at every house, occasionally dropping out at a convenient barn some exhausted member, for whom the clerk had proved too hard—and disbanding in good order to their origin.

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## CHRISTMAS GOODS

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## T. R. WALTON'S,

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I am now ready with a full and splendid assortment of Christmas Trix, embracing

Pretty Toys,  
Delicious Candies,  
Tropical Fruits,  
All kinds of Nuts,  
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## ALL AT REASONABLE PRICES.

If you fail to see these goods before purchasing you will certainly regret it.

Please bear in mind that the following goods are also in stock, and that they are as nice and fresh as you could wish:

Citron, Layer and Seedless Raisins, Currants, Figs, Prunes, Mince Meat, Macaroni, Cheese, Oat Meal, Hominy, Beans, Krout, Honey, Butter and Soda Crackers, and Canned Goods in Great Variety

And while you are buying Christmas Goods, don't forget that he has all the

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All of which are as good, and perhaps a little better, than can be found anywhere else.

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MARK HARDIN, Late of Monticello, Clerk.



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---We have concluded to adopt the---

### CASH SYSTEM ON AND AFTER THE 1ST OF JANUARY 1887,

Believing when we do so that we will make it ADVANTAGEOUS both to ourselves and our CUSTOMERS. It will enable us to SAVE INTEREST on money we are COMPELLED TO BORROW to pay our city accounts; it will enable us to DISCOUNT all our city accounts; it will enable us to sell our customers

### GOOD GOODS AT A MUCH CLOSER MARGIN

Than they ever bought them for in this market before; it will enable us to very materially REDUCE OUR ACTUAL EXPENSES. We will not have to charge such LARGE PROFITS on goods in in order to make off of our GOOD CUSTOMERS what we lose on our bad ones. In fact we will be able to

### SAVE A GREAT DEAL OF MONEY IN THIS WAY

That we will use to the advantage of our trade. We will be amply repaid by

### NOT HAVING TO WORRY AND FRET OVER OUR BOOKS

And having the mortification of always running about dunning our slow paying customers. You well know this is our home and we are going to stay, consequently

### OUR MOTTO IS "LIVE AND LET LIVE"

We very gratefully thank our friends who have so freely patronized us in the past and sincerely hope you will do so in the future. If you are a judge of goods and prices

### ALL WE ASK OF YOU IS, GIVE US A FAIR AND SQUARE TRIAL

And we will convince you we have your interest at stake as well as own. Again thanking you for your liberal patronage,  
We are Most Sincerely,

## OWSLEY & CRAIG,

Stanford, Ky.



The oldest citizens say that Crab Orchard first derived its notoriety from its waters and its close proximity to a fine hunting ground, but principally from its being the western outpost of the Kentucky settlements on the "Old Wilderness Road," now the turnpike leading to Sanford, ran directly "through" the settlers coming and going doubtless increased its importance, much as it is in the same manner a railroad does nowadays; you see it early became a place of importance and I am told was before the war a principal place in the county, as to business and traffic. Then there were no railroads running through the hills of eastern Kentucky, and all goods destined for that section had to be transferred by wagons to their destinations. Then it was that the "Wilderness Road" began to look like a thoroughfare and Crab Orchard an emporium, the Alexander of the mountain country; for it was a depot for all goods intended to go eastward. Wagons coming and going, loading and unloading, told of its sensitive traffic. Here were wholesale merchants, who disseminated stores of all the products of the mountains to an hundred minor establishments. Crab Orchard was then looked upon as almost a little city and business turned her hundred thrifty residents, where the delicate silk-like flowers of idleness and pleasure were sown.

of darling. Nor is romance such an article which the fair and brave are concerned unrepresented here; but 'would take Scott, Irving or Porter to develop it.

Not a few of Cast Orinda's citizens have made themselves known abroad, but who are they? you will doubtless say. Come and go back with us a few years and trace down to the present. Here is Joseph John Smith, the eccentric yet gifted preacher of the mountains, once banished to his flock. Here Moses Folsom, lately renowned, stirred congregations

"Did you gain flesh by going to the beach this year, Grantly?" "I did, indeed, Brown; gained 125 pounds." "Phew! Impassable!" "Fact, my dear fellow. Come up to the house and I'll introduce you to her. We were married last week."

If a farmer paid \$450 for a twine binder in the spring, and after \$100 worth of wheat with it in the summer, how long will the binder have to stand out in the weather to get a mortgage on the farm.—[The Vermontor.]

"Nell! His face was grave, his manner, stern. He had said, severely, 'I wondered how I should have thought him nervous'; he looked though he had never blushed; he seemed else unaffected by the consciousness that his pupil was a girl. He seated himself beside me and drew a corrected exercise toward him. This, I think, is your paper, Miss Chrysalis?"

"Yes," I said, in a small voice.—"I think Mr. Tudor."

He was turning the pages slowly and gravely. I sat looking down at my hands folded feebly on the table, and did not see his face.

"Your first answer is— inadequate."

stand alone to him. He gave up asking me to express this theory and that argument which he had failed to follow; and, when he was forced to accompany my work, he worded his blame mildly and looked away as he spoke.

"He has forgiven you, Cis," said the girls. "He completely ignores you now—for which you are thankful, Cis, are you not?"

"Very thankful," I said. "I said it impressively, for I needed to convince myself as well as the girls."

I was inconsistent, for I began to wish that he would find me amusing again, and to feel pangs of disappointment in class when he passed me over, and to desire with quite unreasonable eagerness, that he should look at me again, even if 'his eyes should have laughter in their depths.

But every week the laughter seemed further away. And if he was grave in class, he was

**A Precious Relic.**  
The late W. H. Monaghan, of Boston, was the owner of the bullet that caused the death of Warren at Bunker Hill. The precious relic will now probably pass into the Boston society's collection. —New York Tribune.

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**Sinking of the Land.**  
The sinking of two acres of land in Ventura, Cal., on which barley had been grown, a depth of fifteen feet, is thought to be the result of internal fire consuming the bituminous matter so abundant in this county."







GOD IS LOVE  
AND NOTHING ELSE

## PRAISE THE LORD.

STEAMER GRANITE STATE, Dec. 20, '86  
DEAR INTERIOR.—We are approaching Cairo and the junction of the Ohio with the great "Father of Waters." I have little to add to my communication mailed at Evansville, Ind. The weather has been bitterly cold, and, as in large measure to the reason, where roaring coal stoves keep the temperature up. We have acquired acquaintance with our fellow passengers and already feel very much interested in them, as we know their histories, little and big, and find them so much like our own. How monotonously alike are all human lives, after one gets beneath the web of circumstances that constitute the seemingly endless surface variety! The same old "fight for life"—physical, intellectual and spiritual—the same old "apprehension of the devil," the same feeling out for a helping hand in the darkness. It helps it, may be found.

Yesterday we had two services—morning and evening—well-attended and much blessed, as we have reason to believe. Our Captain is a Christian and the clerk an old Episcopalian, and on our meetings there in 1880. All the officers and servants are most kindly attentive and courteous.

We passed Henderson and Paducah both in the night. Evansville is the only place above the average village "landing" we have yet seen on our way.

"Flourish" down the river on the Ohio, as a half-forgotten negro melody of my boyhood, describes it.

We have a lovely baby aboard, which is being lovingly spoiled by the girls with unwearied "winking"—cutting out no end of satisfactory work for its poor mamma, after the petting and the roving are over.

We seem to be getting a long way from "home" again, somehow. Adieu!  
Ever in Jesus, Geo. O. Barnes.

AF. THOMAS.

—The Baptists of Winchester are preparing to build a \$10,000 church.

—Miss Dora Runkin, for many years a missionary of the M. E. Church, South, died in Shanghai, China, on the 14th inst.

—Rev. N. Singleton, State Evangelist of the African Methodist church, will preach at Liberty Sunday, January 1; Yemassee Thursday night, 6th, and Kings Mountain 21 Sunday in January.

—Rev. H. M. Hobson, a minister of the Southern Presbyterian Church, died at Springfield, Mo., aged 78 years. He was formerly pastor of churches in Louisville, Augusta and Cincinnati.

—James F. Epperson, aged 16, and Miss Myra Weldon, aged 17, of Bourbon county, eloped to Aberdeen, Ohio, and were married. They will probably be spotted and forgiven on their return.

—Rev. W. W. Downs has brought suit with Ben Butler as his attorney to recover \$6,000 from the Boston Baptist church, of which he was pastor, claiming the amount as back salary. The case is on trial and preachers and congregations will watch the result with interest.

—Rev. Charles Menninger, D. D., the rector of St. Paul's P. E. church, Richmond, Va., has resigned on account of old age. He was rector of St. Paul's church when Jefferson Davis attended services there, and was reading services when a messenger entered the church and informed Mr. Davis that Lee had retreated from Petersburg and the city must be evacuated.

—Mr. Berner, expressing a desire to be buried, if he has to be, in the beautiful cemetery at Frankfort, the citizens have purchased a lot in it for him. The chosen site of his grave is on the brow of the hill beneath a group of stately forest trees and 100 feet or more in an almost state of perpendicularity above the river, from which a beautiful view of the city may be obtained.

Presented to Miss Sallie Traylor a gold pen and holder for having improved most in writing, and Miss Carrie Holtzclaw, a book, entitled "Milton's poems for best scholarship," by Miss Maggie Brown, teacher of White Oak school.

Young girls love presents to receive. They felt delighted at all before, and to their teacher kindly say, "We are glad we studied well each day. X."

—Another fellow was not satisfied to let well enough alone. In June, 1855, R. G. Foreman was tried and convicted of murder at Mt. Sterling, receiving a sentence of fourteen years' imprisonment. He prayed an appeal and the case was reversed by the Court of Appeals. His second trial closed Wednesday and this time the jury gave him twenty-one years in the penitentiary.

—The technical word "feloniously" having been properly inserted in the Keelin indictment, matters are about arranged to give wife-murderer Keelin another trial. It is of course eminently proper that it should go before the jury that Keelin's horrible butchery of his wife was felonious. Here is a not very complimentary picture of our court practice.—Louisville Commercial.

—Gov. Hill, of New York, has given Exempt Drive, sentenced to be hanged Christmas for the murder of her husband, another chance to see the holidays by releasing her till Feb. 28.

—Hon. Abram S. Hewitt has surrendered his desk in the House and will not return, as when Congress reassembles he will have assumed his duties as Mayor of New York.

## CURIOUS FACTS.

Workmen who were boring a well at Janceville, Minn., discovered sea shells and ashes at a depth of 150 feet, but no water.

A man in Warsaw, Wis., recently won a bet of \$500 by sitting for one hour on a steam radiator when the steam was turned on.

A merchant in New Haven, Conn., was recently arrested and fined \$500 and costs because he allowed his customers to guess the number of seeds in a squash.

At Iroquois, O. T., a man accidentally discharged a shotgun. The charge struck a porcupine in his mother's pocket, drove some currency into her thigh, and inflicted a cent in a silver dollar.

When Henry M. Stanley was up the Congo he found in the hands of the Araks 2,500 captives. He selected from among them eighteen little boys, for each of which he paid a handkerchief costing him a penny and a half each at Manchester.

A little girl, while looking at some wares in a Sparta (Wis.) store window, remarked: "My papa has got a whole lot of pocketbooks just like these." The owner of the store immediately secured a search warrant, and the result was that the child's father was arrested on a charge of burglary.

One of the novelties in Paris is a big wooden cow built in front of a cafe. The milkmaid milks a stream of milk punch into a glass, and a placard proclaims the following astonishing fact: "France has sent Bartholomew's Goddies to America, and America gratefully sends in return a milkmaid."

A Welsh couple from a mining settlement near Pottsville, Pa., recently obtained a marriage license from Register Johnson. Then they went home happy in the thought that for two or three weeks before they found out that a minister or a quire was necessary before they could be really married.

A singular case of lethargy is reported from the French village of Thénelle. In a cottage there Margaret Boyenval, a young girl, has lain since June 1, 1883, in a deep sleep. During the three years she has been asleep her breathing has been scarcely perceptible and she has been fed on nothing but peptone. Apparently she has not grown a day older.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Creider, of Lancaster, Pa., recently celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage. At the same time their daughter, Mrs. A. L. Brant, and her husband celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, while a son of Mr. and Mrs. Brant was married. The ceremony was performed by a grand uncle of the groom.

Many marriages occur in Castle Garden, and many of the happy pairs are Roman Catholics. The groom is often too poor to buy a ring, which is necessary in Roman Catholic marriages. One of the detectives employed at the Garden keeps an imitation plated ring, which is used when occasion requires. A wedding which took place last week was the 354th in the history of the ring. The gift is not yet worn off.

## CHURCH NOTES.

General Booth, of the Salvation Army, has gone back to England.

The Methodist church of Canada has a missionary income of \$180,000 a year.

Bagdad contains the largest Hebrew colony in Europe. There are twenty synagogues and about 40,000 Hebrews in the city.

The Chinese government has refused to grant permission to the American Methodist Episcopal mission for its steam launch to ascend interior rivers on missionary work.

The City Mission of Brooklyn is alarmed by the fact that in the "City of Churches" there are half a million of non-church-goers. They are making vigorous efforts to carry the gospel into the spiritually dark places of the city.

The Rev. Mr. Aitken, whose mission work in New York last fall has made his name familiar in this country, thinks the condition of the Protestant Episcopal church is tending toward ritualism. He says Phillips Brooks was the only clergyman he met in this country who wore a black gown in the pulpit.

Mr. Arthur C. MacLay, in his "Budget of Letters from Japan," gives some interesting pictures of mission work in that country. As soon as a missionary puts up at a hotel, he is surrounded by the landlord to preach in his lower room. This is readily granted. Talking begins in a conversational way, and an immense crowd soon gathers. The people are said to be insatiable listeners and come three or four times a day, urging a continuance of the speech, until the speaker is thoroughly exhausted.

## MUSICAL AND THEATRICAL.

Over 400 musical, theatrical and variety companies are "on the road."

Miss Dauvray will produce Bronson Howard's new comedy in January.

Mrs. Rhea will make a tour of Europe next season, beginning at London.

Margaret Mather will open her season in New York on Dec. 20, in "Leah, the Forsaken."

Louis Aldrich says that the exact sum he paid Bartley Campbell for "My Partner" was \$14,615.

Miss Clara Morris' company has been disbanded on account of her serious illness in St. Louis.

Sir Arthur Sullivan and Mr. W. S. Gilbert have nearly completed their new opera for the Savoy theatre, Paris.

Anna Bonkrab, the young American violinist, is having great success in her concert tour in Russia. She is now in Moscow.

Rosina Vokes is playing in New York again in "The Schoolmistress," which is as successful as was her one-act comedies last year.

"The Great Pink Pearl," a London comedy farce, after a run of 250 nights in that metropolis, is to be produced in February in this country, with the portion of the English cast, by Charles Frohman, who has secured the American rights. The piece is described as another "Private Secretary."

Some extraordinary man will make a fortune next year by fitting up a barrel in which buried, complex may make the tour of the Niagara falls.—Chicago Tribune.

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The Hammock and the Rocking Chair. She sits full of the hammock now, For the hammock's season's past; And she sits full of the rocking chair, For the chair holds her fast. —Hartford Times.

## LIGHT AND AIRY.

## Disenchanted.

'Twas at the dry goods counter I saw the maiden fair, Her eyes were like the morning's smile And grace was in her air; Her cheeks were like June roses, Her lips like cherries bright, Her music in her voice had dwelt, She'd have been perfect quite. But it was queer, sharp and shrill, And grating on the ear, And I was disenchanted when I heard her cry, "O, woe!"

—Boston Courier.

Popular Case Words. "Land's sake!" is Henry George's only swear word. Professor Proctor always says "My stars!" "Dog on it!" is Henry Bergh's word, and Gen. Hazen, like most of the signal service men, swears "By thunder." "Saints protect us!" is Mr. Randall's exclamation, while the Chicago Anarchists all say "Merry on us!" Ex-Minister Cox says "Oh, Pacha." —R. J. Burdette.

An Unhappy Man. Alas! alas! the days no more Are glad with warmth and sun; The blinding blast the vales sweep o'er, The winter has begun.

The wild winds howl throughout the night, The days bring snow and sleet; He's now a most unhappy wight, Whose wife has left him.

Some of Your Impudence. An austere looking lady walked into a furrier's yesterday, and said to the yellow headed clerk: "I would like to get a muff."

"What fur?" inquired the clerk. "To keep my hands warm, you simpering idiot," exclaimed the maiden, crushing him like a thunder storm. —Washington Critic.

His Wish. He stood before a candy shop, And viewed the goodies sweet, But owing to dyspepsia's rule He dare not eat.

Then, when he was alone, he wished he could, That some good natured wizard Would kindly place beneath his vest A full grown ostrich gizzard. —Danville Breeze.

Unreasonable. Angry Guest (to clerk in Chatham street lodging house)—See here. I want to be able to sleep a wink last night for their blamed elevated railroad trains.

Clerk—Dye think we're goin' to furnish you with a night's lodgin' for ten cents and throw in extra. —New York Sun.

Only. Only a coat, Only a pair, Only a wife, Findeth it there, Only a broom, Only a whack, Only a man, With a broken back. —St. Paul Herald.

As Good as She Was Pretty. Police Passenger (in street car)—Where are you going, my pretty maid? Pretty Maid—I'm going a shopping, sir (she said).

Passenger—Won't you have this seat, my pretty maid? Pretty Maid—Oh, yes, thank you, sir, (she said). —New York Sun.

Wouldn't Marry the Whole Family. "Young man," said the stern parent to the applicant for his daughter's hand, "are you sure you can support a family?"

"I wasn't making any calculations on that," stammered the youth. "I only want the girl, you know." —Pittsburg Dispatch.

The Small Boy and the Hack Driver. Now the small boys try to show What a knack It takes to come some way Down the back Of the melancholy driver Of a hack. —Life.

Killing the Wrong One. In Phil Armour's Chicago packing house they are killing 4,000 hogs a day, and yet the man who sits sideways in a street car was in town yesterday. So was the man who has his hair cut Saturday night. Some men are born lucky. —R. J. Burdette.

The House of Culture. In culture laden Boston town Where learning makes no frowning, Poets art's not yet done brown, Since every thing is Browning. —Merchant Traveler.

He Was Used to It. "I suppose you must be tired of my talking," said his girl, after she had been talking to him about fifteen minutes, without his being able to get in a word.

"Oh, no," he replied. "I get shaved at the barber's." —New York Sun.

Toboggans and Double Runners. Put out your back With cautious gear, The sliding track Will soon be here. —Merchant Traveler.

Circumstances Were Against Him. "Do you know whether the doctor went to Mrs. Grapes yesterday?"

"I think so. At least there was a crape on the door this morning." —New Haven News.

An Altruistic Rhyme. At a cafe in our big city With all his shining things, With all his shining things, But in the exercise of his duty.

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The Hammock and the Rocking Chair. She sits full of the hammock now, For the hammock's season's past; And she sits full of the rocking chair, For the chair holds her fast. —Hartford Times.

Light and Airy. Disenchanted. 'Twas at the dry goods counter I saw the maiden fair, Her eyes were like the morning's smile And grace was in her air; Her cheeks were like June roses, Her lips like cherries bright, Her music in her voice had dwelt, She'd have been perfect quite. But it was queer, sharp and shrill, And grating on the ear, And I was disenchanted when I heard her cry, "O, woe!"

Popular Case Words. "Land's sake!" is Henry George's only swear word. Professor Proctor always says "My stars!" "Dog on it!" is Henry Bergh's word, and Gen. Hazen, like most of the signal service men, swears "By thunder." "Saints protect us!" is Mr. Randall's exclamation, while the Chicago Anarchists all say "Merry on us!" Ex-Minister Cox says "Oh, Pacha." —R. J. Burdette.

An Unhappy Man. Alas! alas! the days no more Are glad with warmth and sun; The blinding blast the vales sweep o'er, The winter has begun.

The wild winds howl throughout the night, The days bring snow and sleet; He's now a most unhappy wight, Whose wife has left him.

Some of Your Impudence. An austere looking lady walked into a furrier's yesterday, and said to the yellow headed clerk: "I would like to get a muff."

"What fur?" inquired the clerk. "To keep my hands warm, you simpering idiot," exclaimed the maiden, crushing him like a thunder storm. —Washington Critic.

His Wish. He stood before a candy shop, And viewed the goodies sweet, But owing to dyspepsia's rule He dare not eat.

Then, when he was alone, he wished he could, That some good natured wizard Would kindly place beneath his vest A full grown ostrich gizzard. —Danville Breeze.

Unreasonable. Angry Guest (to clerk in Chatham street lodging house)—See here. I want to be able to sleep a wink last night for their blamed elevated railroad trains.

Clerk—Dye think we're goin' to furnish you with a night's lodgin' for ten cents and throw in extra. —New York Sun.

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